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Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith are the following:  
☒ An Amendment in Response to Restriction Requirement
2. Entity Status  
☒ Small Entity is proper for this case.
3. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time:  
An Extension of Time is requested to provide for timely filing if necessary for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures.
4. Provisional Fee Authorization  
Please charge any underpayment in fees for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

Respectfully submitted,

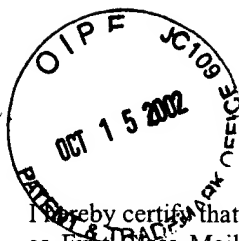
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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Huang *et al.*

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**Amendment in Response to Restriction Requirement**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 3, 2002, please amend the application as follows.

**In the Claims:**

Please cancel claims 1-17, without prejudice.